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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the above-referenced patent application, please  
amend the above-titled International patent application as follows:

**In the Claims:**

Please amend claims 1, 5, and 7 as follows:

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1. (Twice Amended) A pack of barriers for use in relation to an eye contacting optical testing apparatus, comprising a first backing sheet on which are removably attached a plurality of barriers of substantially transparent film each having dimensions